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Democratic County Ticket.

For County Commissioner 1st District
THOS. D. WHITE.
For County Commissioner 2d District,
WM. M. ATKINSON.
For Probate Judge,
J. T. EVANS.
For Probate Clerk and Recorder,
F. P. GAYLE.
For Sheriff,
C. L. BALLARD.
For County Assessor,
JOHN C. PECK.
For County Treasurer,
J. S. LEA.
For Superintendent of Schools,
MARK HOWELL.
For County Surveyor,
V. R. KENNEY.

THE LICENSE QUESTION.

It is the Record's business, to publish all the local news, which the public is interested; and further, the public has a special interest in any business that requires a license. If the county officers, the general public or any individual be opposed to the licensing of gambling they have a right to say so. It is the business of every private citizen as well as that of the district attorney and the newspapers to prevent if possible any violation of the law. No doubt license holders feel that an injustice would be done them if they were not allowed to continue in business until the expiration of their territorial license. They may be right.

The Record man does not pretend to be much of a lawyer, though he holds a license to practice. However, he is of the opinion that the whole gambling license law of the Territory might be knocked out in the courts if the case were carried high enough, "police regulation" though it be called. Even "police power" does not stand when the matter and form of its exercise conflicts with "public policy." There was a time when branding and claiming stray cattle was an extensive industry in New Mexico, but nobody ever thought of licensing cattle rustling. The United States statutes are supreme in the Territory, and any territorial statute not authorized by congress or against the spirit of the Federal law and public policy remains in force merely on sufferance, because public sentiment has not crystallized to the degree of demanding that it be tested in the proper court or abolished by the legislature.

But for the present the law exists

licensing gambling, and there is a question of law involved in the case of the man who already holds a license and wishes to move his place of business. District Attorney Hervey may attend to this case so far as the Record is concerned. The license-holder is entitled to a "square deal" according to the law.

What the Record protests against is the proposition discussed by the sports to permanently establish a little town just outside the city limits for carrying on the gambling business. The county commissioners are bothered about it as much as we are, and probably will ask the district attorney for a written opinion as to whether or not they must issue licenses for such purpose upon tender of the money for same. Mr. Hervey also remarked yesterday that in his opinion the city council overlooked a point in framing the anti-gambling ordinance. He believed that the council could as well have extended the prohibition three miles beyond the city limits on all sides, and thus the question would not have come up to the county commissioners at all. Possibly the council may see fit now to take up the matter of so amending the city ordinance. The Record advocates nothing in the matter but enforcement of the law with such discretion as the sworn officers of the law are entrusted with.

The shipping of a car of pears this week by Col. Parker Earle to Chicago marks a new era in the fruit industry of the Pecos Valley. It was the first solid car load of pears that has ever been shipped from here. In the car were two thousand packages of pears—and every package represented as choice pears as were ever shipped from California or elsewhere. Mr. Earle expects to receive about \$2,000 for the car. The pears were neatly wrapped and bedded in cotton. Mr. Earle has much faith in pear growing in the Pecos Valley. He has written several articles on the subject for the Daily Record and for horticultural publication of wide circulation. He has a national reputation as a horticulturist, and his opinion is to the advantage of the Pecos Valley for pear growing is worth considering.

In the matter of selecting delegates to the constitutional convention, the Record will take no sides in case there are more than two Democratic candidates from this county. We say this because one ambitious statesman has inquired what attitude the Record would assume toward him in the event of his making a public announcement of his candidacy.

Lady Curzon was one American heiress who married a foreigner and made something of him. On the other hand, Countess Bonif de Castellane bought a gold brick.

Wouldn't it be an act of common courtesy for the Salvation Army during the Friday evening concerts to refrain from pounding their drum while the band is playing?

Special Notice.

Owing to unexplained delay in receiving our goods, we were not able to open as advertised on or about the 16th. As soon as our goods arrive notice of opening will appear in this paper.

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

First M. E. Church.
(Corner Kentucky and Fifth.)
The pastor, Rev. Wm. Reace, has returned from his vacation and will fill his pulpit both morning and evening. The subject of the morning sermon will be, "Maintain Character." Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching service, 11:00 a. m. Class meeting, 12:00 m. Junior League, 3:00 p. m. Epworth League, 7:00 p. m. Preaching service, 8:00 p. m. Members, friends and strangers are all cordially invited to attend all these services.

At the Christian Church.
Elder J. C. Mason, state evangelist of Texas, will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening. Many Roswell people who have known Brother Mason in Texas will be delighted to hear him tomorrow. Special music at both services. In the morning the music will include a solo by Miss Eva Nelson, and in the evening Miss Elizabeth Reece will sing. Bible school, 9:40 a. m. Junior and Intermediate Endeavor meet at 3:00 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m. Choir rehearsal every Saturday evening at eight o'clock. A cordial welcome to all the services at this church.

Presbyterian Church.
Rev. E. E. Mathes, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Artesia, will preach at the Roswell Presbyterian church Sunday morning. A full attendance of the members and the congregation is desired to meet Mr. Mathes.

At the Baptist Church.
Pastor Vermillion will be home today, and will be in his pulpit Sunday morning. The children will occupy the evening hour with a program. At the morning hour Miss Jessie May Denning will sing. Sunday school at 9:45. Sunbeam Society at 3:00 p. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 p. m. All are invited to come and worship with us. Strangers always welcome. Corner of 4th and Penn.

M. E. Church, South.
John W. Smith, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will fill his pulpit at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. tomorrow. Subject of his morning sermon, "The Preeminent King," and he will preach on "Revealing His Secret" at the evening hour. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Junior Epworth League at 3:00 p. m. and Senior Epworth League at 7:00 p. m. The public and all visitors in Roswell are most cordially invited to attend all services. Do not fail to hear the evening address.

Salvation Army.
Major Morton will conduct the usual free and easy meeting at the Salvation Army tonight. Sunday meetings as follows: 10:30 open air; 11 a. m., Holiness meeting; 2:30 p. m., Sunday school; 3:30, open air; 7:15, open air; 8 p. m., battle for souls. Address by Major Morton. In the night meeting there will be the dedication service of two little babies, one of the most interesting services in the Army. Major Morton will have charge of all these meetings. All are welcome. William and Lila Woodward, officers in charge.

Building a New House.
The new residence being erected by "Oklahoma" Smith, corner Kentucky and 7th Street, is nearing completion. The house is two stories and has eight large rooms, bath rooms, lavatory, etc., and is modern in every particular. The rooms will be finished in different colors schemes, being tinted with muresco. There is a large upper porch in the rear and the lower porch in the rear will be screened in. There is also a large front porch.

The house is modeled after the residence that Mr. Smith occupies on South Hill and Mr. Smith is building the house for rent. The house when completed will cost \$5,000.

The lawn will be filled with dirt to make it even with the cement walk and will be planted in Bermuda grass. The building of this modern residence will enhance the value of residence property on the other three corners. This corner was formerly known as bankers corner and two bankers live there at present, Captain John W. Poe, president of the Citizens National Bank and E. A. Cahoon, cashier of the First National Bank. The Wilkerson home is on the third corner and was formerly occupied by Cashier Mc-

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Cluskey of the Roswell National Bank Mr. Smith is the owner of the Oklahoma Block, which is one of the most substantial business blocks of the city and he has great faith in the future of Roswell. He complains that there are too many knockers here, but says that every progressive city has the "skunks" to contend with and that their "knocking" in the end does not hurt any one but the "knockers."

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